SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Two Lovers.

Twas the farmer's lad and the dalry maid, Who down through the dusky meadows strayed; The lad was shy, though his heart beat

true, And the maid-well, what could a lassic When the lad she loved was afraid to

'Twas a stranger bold, with an hour to

pass.
Who spied one morning the comety lass;
"Heighel" he cried, "it is here I stay,
To merrily fritter the hours away;"
And so he tarried the whole long day.

'Twas the farmer's lad, but he walked alone.

Down by the brook, by the trysting stone; And waited long for his dairy lnss, Who never more at his side would pass In the scented dusk, through the long, lush grass.

For how could she know that his heart of gold Beat hut for her; he had never told; And how could she answer the stranger's

plea . "I love another and he loves me;" if course, he won her—why shouldn't

-Helen Combes, in May Designer.

The Continental Congress. The Washington Star says, referring to ne assembling of the Continental Con-ress, Daughters of the American Revo-

the assembling of the Continental Congress, Daughters of the American Revolution:

The matter of the election of a president-general is the all-absorbing question. But three candidates are mentioned at this time, Mrs. George M. Sternberg, of Indiana: Mrs. Domald McLean, of New York, and Mrs. Warren Lippitt, of Rhode Island. Each candidate has strong adherents in "official" circles and among the "rank and file." The national headquarters at the Washington Loan and Trust building, Saturday resembled the national headquarters of a political convention. Some of the more prominent women were so much in denote time in two-minute, three-minute and five-minute stunds. The Jabot of voices was something stunning, and if one ware a betting person, it could never have been learned in that crowd on whom to put up money, for nobody was sure of anything—tanything" meaning the president-generalcy—and each candidate had friends who felt sure she would win. They showed a list of regents and vice-State regents, comprising a majority over all, and all of whom, it was said, were pleaged to Mrs. McLean. Massachusetts is said to be solid for her, with perhaps one or two exceptions. The friends of Mrs. Sternberg were not counting noses, but they smiled in a superior way and declared that a recount of regents should be taken; and "then, there was the official ballot." Connecticut and Rhode Island are counted solidly for Mrs. Lippitt.

When the other States were canvassed a demoralizing condition was found, the votes being seemingly divided among the three candidates. The impression grows that a second ballot will be necessary to elect. It is said the weakest candidate will be urged to withdraw on the second ballot and throw her strength to one of the other candidates.

Mrs. Fairbanks was standing in the midst of a lot of friends yesterday, and some one asked: "Whom are you goin to vote for?" Of course there is but one office thought of, so it was understood what office was meant, and quick as a flash she replied: "Andrew Jackson." "He's dead!" said some one, laughtingly.

"Oh, my! What shall I do? I'm all at sea again," Mrs. Fairbanks raplied, as she dodged back into the board room, and that is all anybody really knows about how Mrs. Fairbanks will vote.

At the Woman's Club.

nature.

The charm of the lecturer's style and the beauty of his subject rendered the afternoon one of rare enjoyment and profit. Chairman's guests were Miss Ella. Thomas, Mrs. A. W. Garber, Mr. Edmund Harrison, of Hopkingville, Ky., and Mr. Gellett, of Petersburg. Mrs. Joe Bersley poured coffee at the reception, and Mrs. George Wayne Anderson was at the teatable.

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Mrs. Abbe, of New York, who was expected as a guest at the Executive Mansion this week, and was to have been given a reception at the Woman's Club on Wednesday afternoon, will be unable to come to Richmond, as she had expected, on account of liness.

The house committee of the Woman's Club will give an excursion to Williamsburg on May 20th, for the benefit of the club library. The scason will then te sufficiently advanced to render such an excursion a great pleasure.

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A scholarship, offered at Vassar Col-

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A scholarship, offered at Vassar Colege, has just been won by Miss Martha Louise Bowie, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Brander Bowie, of Richmond.
Miss Bowie has been a student at Vassar since last autumn, and the fact that she has won honors during her freshman year at the leading weman's university

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form an important part of our large Infant Department. There was such a collection in any one store in Richmond.

One of the prettiest little Hats in the lot is made chirred mull with resette and slik Tam-o'-shanter crown; the price is \$1; the calue is much more. There are over a dozen styles which are variously priced from 50s to \$4. Baby Caps at 50s are made of sheer lawn tucked and trimmed with lace and blind embroidery with two ribbon resettes, a regular 88c value. Infants' Caps start at 56 and from

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If you do not know these superb Corsets we want you to try them. Here are two numbers as

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POEMS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.-Professor Charles Eliot Norton.

WARBLE FOR LILAC-TIME

By WALT WHITMAN.

The portrait, biography and signature of Mr. Whitman have been printed this series.

ARBLE me now for joy of lilac-time, Sort me, O tongue and lips for nature's sake, souvenirs of earliest summer,

Gather the welcome signs (as children with pebbles of stringing shells) Put in April and May, the hylas croaking in the ponds, the elastic air, Bees, butterflies, the sparrow with its simple notes; we are Bluebird and darting swallow, nor forget the high-hole flashing his

golden wings, The tranquil sunny haze, the clinging smoke, the vapor, Shimmer of waters with fish in them, the cerulean above. All that is jocund and sparkling, the brooks running,

The maple woods, the crisp February days and the sugar-making, The robin where he hops, bright-eyed, brown-breasted, With musical clear call at sunrise and again at sunset

Or flitting among the trees of the apple orchard, building the nest of his mate, The melted snow of March, the willow sending forth its yellow-green

sprouts, For springtime is here! The summer is here, and what is this in it

and from it? Thou, soul, unloosen'd—the restlessness after I know not what: Come, let us lag here no longer, let us be up and away!

O. if one could fly like a bird! O, to escape, to sail forth as in a ship!

To glide with thee, O soul, o'er all, in all, as a ship o'er the waters; Gathering these hints, the preludes, the blue sky, the grass, the morning drops of dew,

The lilac-scent, the bushes with dark green heart-shaped leaves, Wood violets, the little delicate, pale blossoms called innocent Samples and sorts not for themselves alone, but for their atmosphere To grace the bush I love-to slug with the birds. A warble for joy of lilac-time.



This series began in The Times-Dispatch Sunday, October 11, 1908. One is published their day

in the United States, shows her to be a young girl of talent, attainments and ambitton, one who has a purpose in her collegiate work which lifts her to a high standard. Her family and many friends here are delighted at her success, and are sending her letters full of congratuation over her good fortune, which crowns the Easter season with added happiness for her and for them.

The Bethal Monument

of the Confederacy, to do the unvoiling. A young lady from North Carolina will participate in the honor of lifting the vell.

Ladies on the Entertainment Committee for the day will include Mrs. R. S. Hudgins, of Newport News, who will have gins, of Newport News, who will have Will. He Mrs. H. W. Booker, Mrs. Samuel Howard, Mrs. Thomas Keaton and Mrs. Carroll Garnett. The ladies will be assisted by Captain W. J. stores and Mrs. Carroll Garnett. The ladies will be assisted by Captain W. J. stores and Mrs. Carroll Garnett. The ladies will be assisted by Captain W. J. stores and Mrs. Easter Egg Hunt.

One of the pleasantest social happenings scheduled for Easter week is the leaster egg hunt to be given Thesday afterioon, at 4 o'clock, on Franklin Street.

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direction of the Junior Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church.

Nothing but bad weather can interfere with the programme of enjoyment planned for their guests by the members of the Auxiliary. Should the weather be inclement, however, the hunt will be postponed until the next sunshining afternoon, as the young ladies are destrous of calling, even the elements to their aid, in rendering the occasion an entire success.

The Bethel Monument.

The work on the menument to be created by the Bethel Association, to mark the spot where the first battle of the Civil War was fought, is nearing completion. The date of the unveiling ceremonia has been fixed for June 10th. Colonel W. Gordon McCabe has been requested to deliver the oration attendant upon the unveiling. Among the guests of distinction, who will grace the ceremony with their presence, Governor A. J. Montague, General Julian Carr, Governor R. B. Glenn, Judge Walter Clarke and Chief Justice of, the North Carolina Supreme Court are expected.

A Virginia girl will be chosen by the York County Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, to do the unvoiling. A young lady from North Carolina will participate in the honor of lifting the vell.

Ladies on the Entertainment Committee for the day will include Mrs. B. S. Lind.

daughter, Anna Barah, to the Rev. William H. Tappey, Squires, to take place on Wednesday evening, April 20th, at half after 7 o'clock, in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Marion, Va. The Rev. Mr. Squirer, since his graduation from the Theological Seminary in Richmond, has been the paster of the Central Presbyterian Church, in Bristol, Va.

Personal Mention.

On Wednesday, April 70th, in Copeland, Va., Miss Mary R. Everett and Mr. Thomas E. Brickhouse, of Norfolk, will be married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Copeland. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. N. G. Newman. There will be nel cards.

Miss Otey Minor expects to leave this week for Norfolk to visit Mrs. John M. Sebrell at the Rockambeau.

Mrs. Edwin Barlow, of Norfolk, is vis-iting relatives, in the city.

Miss Slater, of Washington, la-guest of Mrs. Henry Perry Randolph.

Miss Mittle Dobson, of Lynchburg, is visiting friends in the city.

Cards-have been received in Richmond for the marriage, of Miss Mary Wronn Jordon, daughter of Mrs. Louis Walton Jordon, to Mr. Edwim Morton Coates Quinby, to take place on Thursday, April 27th, at Suffolk, Va.

Mrs. Bland Williams of Norfolk, is visiting Miss Lily Urquhart, No. 105 East Franklin Street.

Mrs. Lizzle S. Mayo is the guest of her brother, Mr. S. S. Mayo, of No. 1521 McCulloh, Street, Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. George Andrews Tinsley have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Clara Eugenia, to Mr. Leslie Coombs Garnett, the marriage to take place Tuesday, April 25th, at high noon, in Ware Church, Gloucester county, Va. Mr. Garnett is the able young Commonwealth's atterney of Mathews county. 000

Miss Kate Pinhey, of Ottawa, Can., who has been visiting Miss Urith Greene, in Norfolk, will pay a visit to friends in Richmond this week before returning

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Spitz, of Washington, are spending a few days at Mur-THE REAL PROPERTY. Mr. H. H. Henley and Master Herbert lenley, of Staunton, are visiting friends

Henley, of Staunton, in the city. The engagement of Captain Arthur T. Ballentine, U. S. A., to Miss Katherine Reed, of Washington, has just been announced, the dato of the wedding to be given out later. The bride-elect is the daughter of late Speaker Reed, of the House of Representatives, and is a young lady of talent and culture. Captain Ballentine is now statloned at Fortress Monroe, having entered the army during the Cuban war.

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Miss Courtney Bridges will go to Norfolk this week to attend the Warwick-Gregory wedding, and will be the guest of Mrs. W. H. Venable, in Botclourt Street.

Mrs. Samuel Pulliam is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Fleming, on Park Avenue. Lynchburg.

Mr. John Drury Walters, who was operated on at the Virginia Hospital, is doing nicely and hopes to return home. In a few days.

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Mr. John, L. Bhaden, of Roanoke, and Miss Gaddin, of Toano, va., will be married on next Thursday, the 20th.

Miss Alice McFadyen, who has been spending some mentals in the family of City Antray, Perme, ver New York, reached Highlands Saugas, evening and remained over youth long sight, as the guest of her brother Mr. Henry McFadyen, of Junific Editors Smillery, After a visit to, her, parents, near Clarkton, North Carolina, Miss McFadyen, will return to New York.

Colonel James R. Branch, of New York, the widely known secretary of the Amer-can Bankers' Association, is the guest of his uncle, Mr. John P. Branch.

Miss Sarah Frayser, of New York, is visiting her aunt, Arts. William Friend, on Watt, Grace Street.

Miss Marian Carter of New York, is being entertained by her friend, Miss Hendricks, at Non-207 East Franklin Street. Mrs. Louise Fisher has sent out cards for the marriage of her daughter. Louise Child, to Mr. William Sackett Duell, Wednesday, April 19th, at 6:39 P. M. In Duncan Memorial Church, Ashland, Va. Mrs. Duell, of Washington, and Mrs. Dechler, of Camden, New York, will be

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attend the wedging.

Mrs. W. T. Brogdon is visiting her slater. Mrs. Nathundel E. Whitehead, Jr., in London Street, Portsmouth.

Among the guests at Mackienburg Hotel, Chase City, are Mr. and Mrs. John A. Coke. Master John C. Freeman and Mr. R. R. Roberts, of Richmond. Mrs. W. H. L. leims has returned to the Meckienburg from Richmond, and Mr. Fred Pleasants, who has been at the hotel, is back in Richmond again.

Mrs. Gill's excursion to Washington will be one of the pleasant features of the Easter holidays. The excursionists will leave Richmond at 9 o'clock A. M., on Monday, April 24th. The train, returning, will start from Washington at 6 P. M. Wednesday. The trip premises to be unusually pleasant.

FAIRMOUNT NEWS.

Mrs. Carrie Geiting is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Annie Colmes, in West Point, Va.

The many friends of Mrs. Mary Burruss will regret to learn of her removal to the Viginia Hospital Friday, where she will undergo a serious operation to-morrow.

Mrs. M. M. Corr will leave this week for Beaver Dam to visit her daughter, Mrs. Spicer, Mrs. Corr is just receivering from a severe pool to the severe the severe to the severe the severe to the severe the severe to the severe the seve

cialives. She will also visit at order in cofor returning.

Mr. George Dillard, of Tunstall's, Va., has returned home after a brief visit to the family of Mr. C. P. Perkins.

The Fairmount Hive of Lady Maccabees will hold a rejute this devening in the Town Hall. This hive is full of "busy bees," and is sleadly growing. It now ranks second in Richmond.

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Revival services will continus through this week at the Fairmount Christian Church. Rev. C. O. Woodward, of Manchester, will be the speaker at the services.

Mrs. Ben Adams is confined to her home on Q. Street, by illness.
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Meiton will leave this week for Ashland, Va. where they will make their future home.

Rev. Mr. King, of Greenville, N. C., who was called to the Fairmount Baptist Church several weeks ago, has accepted the call, and writes, saying he will be here to fill the publit the first Sunday in May. Mr. King also states he will be married to-morrow the 19th of April, and will be accompanied here by his bride.

Captain Z. T. Southworth continues to im-

Rev. Rs. B. cott with the services at the services at the Methodist Church through the week.

Miss Irena Neszle entertained the members of the Evenins. Star Social Club in her home furriday night in and Social Club in her home furriday night in and leged in until a late and several three was several to the several terms of the several terms. He made the several terms of the several te

Doing Good Business.

Mesers. Scott & Stringfellow, bankers and rokers, of this city, have issued a statemen oncerning the Central of Georgia Railway concerning the central of designs and company.

The samings of the road from eight months ending March 1, 1905, show an increase over the same lime of eight months previous to \$316,000 not say this:

"The estimated gross earnings for the month of March, just published, were \$395,000. We do not know what the expenses were, but indo not know what the expenses were distributed as the ratio of expenses for March, 1904, was sixty-nine per cent, we will assume that the ratio for 1905 will be the same, consequently net earnings, for the month of March (his year will be about \$290,000, which, added to \$1,002,000, the net carnings for the preceding eight months, makes the total not cearnings for nine months about \$2,192,000, after payment of taxes."

Would Find Her Relatives.

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Illizabethiown, Ky. April 11, 1903.

Mayor of Richmond, Va.:

Dear Sir,—I wish you to have this letter published in one of the leading newspapers nublished in Virginia wiff a request that there papers copy.

H. C. Swann, an old Confederate sodier, mayried in Kentucky, and removed to Arkah, sas and died. His widow returned to Kentucky and was burned to death and leaves her little daughter, an orphan, who is anxious to find her father's relatives. They has address.

R. F. Wilson,

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An absolutely unique shipment received in Richard yesterday was a solid carload of white lead, configued to muniper, of leading Richardon master sharings. The car was hediceked with the spread; Cartera, 'A solid car of solid line spread; Cartera, 'A solid car of car of white lead has rarely, if ever load of white lead has rarely, if ever load of white lead has rarely if ever load of the lead of the l

Leaf Tobacco Market.

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Up to the hour for closing at the warshouse on the Sijn last night, but few warons loaded with leaf tobacco had shown up, but the warehouses on the floys to make very respectable offerings for to-day's sales.

The breaks will not be large, but there will be some very good stock for the manufacturers to select from. The first sale to-day will be at Crenshaw's, second at Sheburne's, inited at Stonewall, and fourth at flockos.

Mr. W. F. Gilliam, a prominent tobaccondat of Farnville, is in the city on business, gad is stopping at the Lexington.

Revival at Calvary.

There will be revival services at Calvary Baptist Church every night this week, will the exception of Saturday. Mrs. Thomas, one of Richmond's sweetest singers, will render a kolo at each service. The pasior, Rev. Ryland Knight, will do the preaching.

Mr. Hutcheson to Run.

Non. H. F. Hutcheson, of Beskerville, a faminer member of the House of Delegates from Meckleburg is a candidate for county clerk.

Mr. Hutcheson, has a great many friends in the clip as well as In Mecklebourg, and they are taking a deep interest in his fight.



FASHION HINTS.



No. 2804—A circular-out petticoat having two adjustable flounces, a straight gathered flounce trimmed with edging of lace or embroidery and a circular trained. flounce trimmed with three rows of ruffles. The garment has a yoke and has a placket for opening left of the centre front. Materials suitable for development are complete mainsook long cloth. tre front. Materials suitable for develop-ment are cambric, mainsook, long cloth, muslin and silk. The pattern is cut in sizes 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32 and 36 inches, waist measure. Size 26 requires 6 yards of material 36 inches wide and 31-8 yards of material 86 inches, wide for ruffles.

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